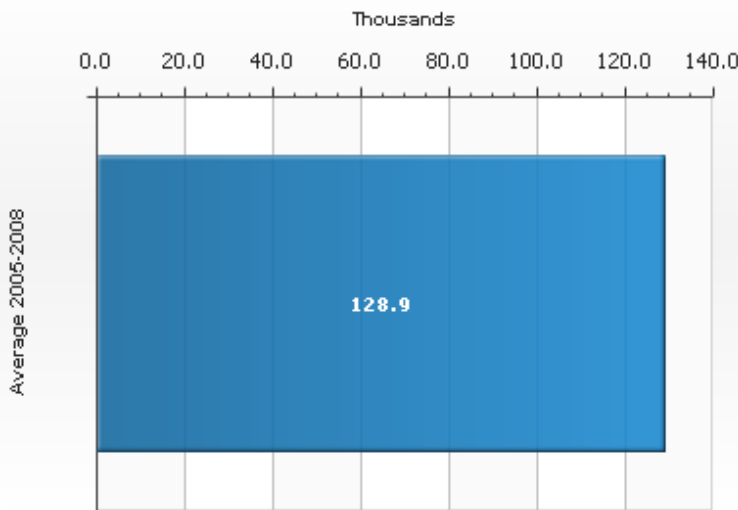


Statistics for this area were collected within the Bakersfield Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA). Bakersfield, CA is the only major city included in this MSA.

### Number of Volunteers



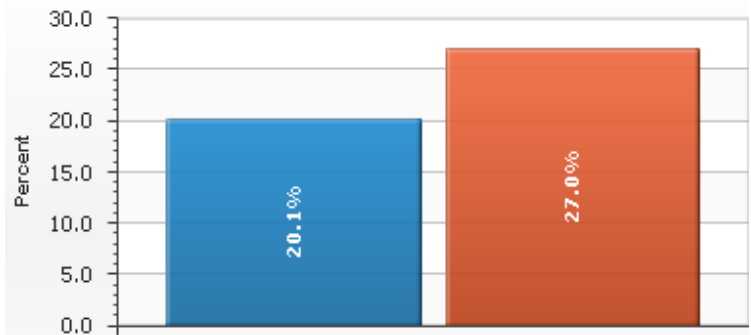
### Trends and Highlights

Based on an average using 2005 to 2008 data

- Even with the economic crisis, the national volunteer rate remained relatively constant, from 26.2% in 2007 to 26.4% in 2008. In 2008, 61.8 million volunteers donated approximately 8 billion hours of service in communities across the country.
- Between 2005 and 2008, Bakersfield had an average volunteer rate of 20.1% and 29.7 service hours annually per resident.
- On average, volunteers in Bakersfield contribute a total of 19 million hours of service per year (based on 2005-2008 data).

For more information, go to <http://www.VolunteeringInAmerica.gov>

### Volunteer Rate



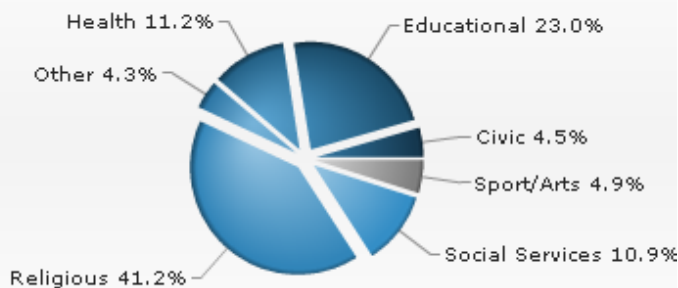
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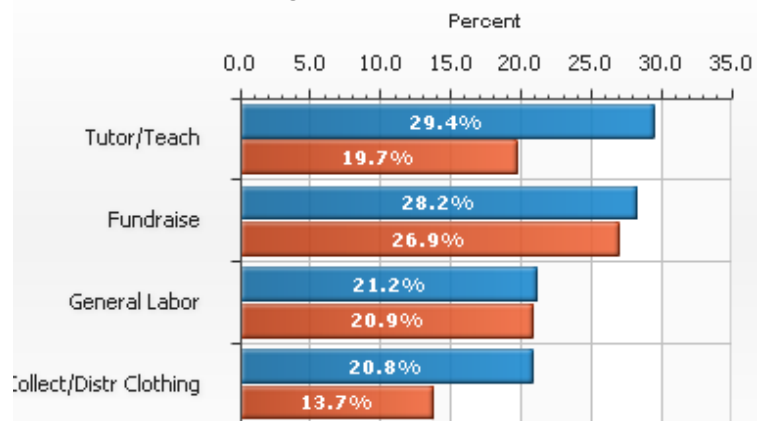
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### Where People Volunteer (2005-2008)



### Top Four Activities



#### Legend

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